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Dear Sir or Madam,

It has come to my attention that the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is looking for ways to reduce salmonella in eggs. I have been made aware of this through the international non-profit animal rights organization People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA).

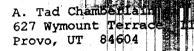
I am aware that PETA has written you a letter suggesting solutions to this issue. I will not monopolize your precious time by repeating all of the arguments for their suggested alternatives. As a concerned citizen I simply wish to add my voice in support of those proposed measures, briefly: the most effective and direct way to reduce salmonella in eggs would be to eliminate the practice of forced molting and the FDA must do more than put warning labels on egg cartons and regulate egg refrigeration temperatures.

I sincerely hope that the FDA will do the right thing by using its jurisdiction to eliminate a farm practice that is injurious to both animal and human health by banning the practice of induced molting across the country.

Sincerely,

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